Bloomington Municipal Advisory Council

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, October 7, 2008

The meeting was called to order at 7:00 p.m. and opened with the Pledge of Allegiance

Council Members Present

Lynda Gonzalez Adrian McDaniel Eric Scott Jacqueline Cox

Betty Gosney Mike Koss Gregory Ware

Minutes

Council Member Eric Scott moved to approve the minutes from the September meeting. Council Member Betty Gosney seconded the motion. All were in favor and the minutes were approved.

New Business

CALNEV Pipeline - Kinder Morgan

Alan Campbell from Kinder Morgan presented the proposed CalNev Pipeline Expansion Project. Mr. Campbell provided a brief history of the CalNev pipeline and a project overview. The new pipeline will be 16 inches in diameter and replace the existing 8 inch line. The pipeline will originate in Colton and traverse through the Cajon Pass and ultimately service Nellis AFB and McCarran International Airport in Las Vegas. Kinder Morgan is currently working with local city, county, and school district officials to generate a final proposal for routing the new line. The new line will continue to provide the same types of fuels as the existing line: gasoline, diesel and jet fuel.

For more information on the CalNev Pipeline Project residents may visit: www.calnevpipeline.com

Rialto Commerce Center/Oakmont Industrial Group

The proposed project is located in the City of Rialto South of Interstate 10 and borders Riverside and San Bernardino Counties. It is a 159 acre site that is located between El Rivino Road and Jurupa Avenue, along either side of Cactus Avenue. The current property owner is planning to construct and operate 3.4 million square feet of industrial warehousing and distribution.

Christina Taylor from the City of Rialto Community Development Dept. reported that the city has determined that an EIR will need to be prepared and a public scoping meeting will be held on Thursday, April 10, 2008 from 6PM to 8PM at the EI Rivino Country Club located at 5530 EI Rivino Road in Rialto.

For information residents may contact the City of Rialto Planning Dept. at (909)820-2535

Staff Reports

Field Representative – Dan Flores

Mr. Flores reminded everyone of the upcoming Election Day. If anyone is seeking information on polling places or voter registration they may call the Registrar of Voters at 909-387-8300. Mr. Flores also encouraged residents to participate in the Great California Shake Out that will take place November 13, 2008.

Sheriff's Dept. - Capt. Steve Kovensky

Captain Kovensky reported that another recycling center attempted to open on Valley Blvd in Bloomington. The Sheriff's Dept. worked with Code Enforcement and they were able to prevent the business from opening without proper permits. And he reported that the television show COPS is riding with them and is currently filming.

Special Districts –Tim Millington

Mr. Millington announced that the old Bloomington Fire Station located on Jurupa Ave. will be transferred to the Bloomington Parks & Recreation District. The District will in turn lease the property to the County Community Day School program which will allow for more community activities to take place at Ayala Park.

Items for Upcoming Meetings

Vice-Chair Gregory Ware suggested moving the next MAC meeting to the 2nd Tuesday in November rather than going dark for the month of November. All the members agreed and so the next scheduled MAC meeting will be November 11, 2008.

UPDATE: DUE TO VETERAN'S DAY THE NOVEMBER 11TH MEETING WAS CANCELLED.

Member Reports

Betty Gosney

Council Member Gosney reminded residents to provide write their contact info on the sign-in sheet. The contact information will be provided to the City of Rialto and they will add it to their distribution list for the Rialto Commerce Center project.

Adrian McDaniel

Chairman McDaniel reminded everyone to get out and vote.

Eric Scott

Council Member Scott reiterated that it is very important to vote. He also encouraged everyone to register for the California Shake-Out. Finally he urged everyone to get involved in the community.

Lynda Gonzalez

Council Member Lynda Gonzalez encouraged all to go out and vote. The poles are open from 7am to 8pm.

Public Comments

Members of the public may pick up a request to address the MAC from the Council Secretary. There is a limit of three minutes per request. The following speakers were given time to speak.

Todd Warden of AQMD

Mr. Warden gave an update on TXI Riverside.

Andrea Sandoval

Ms. Sandoval mentioned that the Bloomington Little League is taking their practices elsewhere since the lights at Kessler Park are not turned on for them to practice. She was hoping the MAC could assist in getting them turned on for the practices.

Dave Jayne

Mr. Jayne expressed his gratitude in getting Bloomington Recycling out of Bloomington. He also announced that on Saturday November 11th the San Bernardino Valley Riders will host their annual Disability Hayride and Horse Show. They anticipate hosting 70-80 disabled children from throughout southern California. Residents are encouraged to attend.

Eric Davenport

Mr. Davenport stressed that everyone in attendance should have plenty of canned food stored up in case of an emergency.

The meeting was adjourned at 9:18 P.M. The next MAC meeting is scheduled for Nov 11, 2008 at 7:00 P.M.

Submitted by Aurora Hernandez, MAC Secretary: (909) 387-3064